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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3173

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FOR JOHN THOMAS FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: AFSP, ASEC
SUBJECT: BEIRUT CHANCERY

1. HAVE TOURED UNFINISHED OFFICE BUILDING WITH RSO
AND ADMIN OFF AND HAVE FOLLOWING OBSERVATIONS AND
RECOMMENDATIONS:

(1) BUILDING SHOULD BE COMPLETED. THERE NO
PARTICULAR HURRY AS FAR AS WE CONCERNED, BUT WE
SUGGEST FBO AND SY SEND TEAM OUT TO LOOK IT OVER
SOMETIME IN NEXT FEW MONTHS. CONSTRUCTION CAN
BE RESUMED WHENEVER WE WISH, I.E., WE SEE NO
SECURITY REASONS FOR NOT RESUMING NOW.

(2) BUILDING SHOULD BE MODIFIED:

(A) TO MEET CURRENT SECURITY NEEDS AS
REVEALED BY RECENT FIGHTING. PRESENT DESIGN
SERIOUSLY DEFECTIVE IN THAT RESPECT.

(B) TO MAKE IT MORE ADAPTABLE AS LIVING SPACE
IN EVENT OF ANOTHER SEIGE. THERE ARE, FOR INSTANCE,
NO SHOWER FACILITIES ON UPPER FLOORS, AND SLEEPING
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ACCOMMODATIONS IN BUILDING WILL BE PROBLEM. FOR
ANOTHER EXAMPLE, IF COM IS TO RESIDE AT YARZE, HE
NEEDS A SMALL FLAT IN OFFICE BUILDING.

(C) TO CONFORM TO WHAT I HOPE WILL BE A
CONSIDERABLY LESS BLOATED AMERICAN PRESENCE THAN
BUILDING WAS DESIGNED FOR.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING DEPARTMENT'S CURRENT
THINKING ON PROJECT.
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